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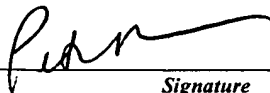
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1. European Patent Publication No. 1 228 097, dated August 7, 2002, published by the WIPO as WO 01/34641 A2, published May 17, 2001;
2. PCT International Publication No. WO 01/72322 A2, published October 4, 2001;
3. European Patent Publication No. 0 437 958, published July 24, 1991;

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The references were cited in a Supplementary Search Report dated July 10, 2006 received from the European Patent Office. Applicant is submitting a copy of the above-cited references, together with a copy of the Supplementary Search Report. The relevance of the above-identified references has been described in the Search Report.

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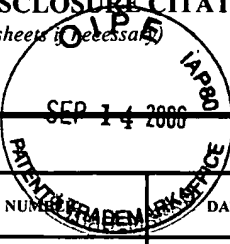


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